

BASEBALL

Ben liked to play ball. On his birthday he got a [ball/ sat/ yet] and bat. His sister gave him [I/ on/ a] glove. Ben played ball with his [jumped/ friend/ saying] Mark everyday. They were on the [told/ feet/ same] baseball team. They wanted to be [good/ sand/ camp] at playing ball during their games. Ben [and/ hat/ you] Mark worked hard. Ben wanted to [my/ it/ be] an outfielder like Jose Canseco. He [wanted/ ponies/ little] to play ball when he grew [of/ by/ up].

Ben showed his coach how he [could/ black/ bunny] play. When a ball was hit [me/ am/ to] him, he ran up to catch [it/ he/ an]. If a ball was hit low, [he/ is/ up] kept his glove low. When balls [make/ were/ tree] hit high, Ben backed up and [father/ jumped/ kitten] to get them. His coach was [make/ have/ very] happy that Ben got so many [balls/ green/ going]. The coach let Ben play right [story/ field/ paste] the next game.

Ben was happy [to/ my/ if] play right field. He wanted to [am/ he/ do] a good job for his team. Mark [was/ fun/ see] picked to play second base. Many [three/ times/ drink] the ball came to Ben. He [threw/ brown/ table] it to Mark to make an [can/ eat/ out]. Mark was used to getting balls [that/ live/ team] Ben threw. He and Ben made [I/ go/ a] good pair. Their team won the [game/ went/ them]. Ben was glad he did well [biggest/ playing/ schools] right field.

The next week, Ben's [mop/ dad/ off] had a surprise for him. He [off/ bed/ was] going to take Ben and Mark [to/ an/ of] see Jose Canseco play ball. Ben [put/ hat/ was] very excited. He called Mark to [and/ but/ see] if he wanted to go. The [went/ boys/ jump] planned to get Jose to sign [their/ climb/ table] baseball cards. Ben wanted to see Jose [card/ dish/ play] right field. He wanted to get [some/ were/ been] tips.

At last the day came [to/ or/ is] go to see the game. This [she/ let/ was] Jose's last game with the Huntsville Stars. [Can/ His/ Sit] arm was better. He had been [called/ ladder/ father] back to Oakland. The boys took [is/ a/ I] few baseball cards to be signed. [Shed/ Wish/ They] wore their baseball team shirts. It [took/ they/ pins] two hours to drive to the [blue/ have/ game]. The Stars were playing the Louisville Redbirds [feet/ pond/ that] night. Jose Canseco played right field. [He/ In/ Or] got three fly balls. He threw [seed/ four/ call] balls to second base for outs. [He/ Do/ Be] made two hits. The Stars won [toy/ the/ now] game 2-1. After the game Ben [eat/ and/ bee] Mark stood in line. Jose [signed/ ladder/ mother] their cards. Then he saw the [lamp/ with/ boys'] team shirts. He told them that [is/ he/ my] began playing ball when he was [pond/ nine/ like] years old. He shook their hands. [At/ Of/ He] told them to keep playing ball.

[Have/ Fold/ When] the boys went home they were [tired/ about/ learn]. They were also happy they had [fish/ then/ seen] and talked to the real Jose Canseco.